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Paton Mr R. (Assist^t Eng^r) Grant of 2 months leave to, reported Recorded	6 —	17. 18.
Sub Assistant Engineers. Grant of Tentage allowance to, recommended — Sanctioned	20 "	5. 6.
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Mr Gale Correspondence regarding the suspension of, Eng^r Dist^t No 14 — submitted Recorded	4 Dec^r	8. 9.
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Accounts (contingent) for June 1855 submitted — Sanctioned with the exception of certain items	18 "	1. 2.
Porchey Mr. Correspondence regarding the suspension of, submitted Recorded	18 —	22. 23
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Districts 1 & 2. sanction solicited to an, – for sundry works in, – Sanctioned	31st July	9.10.
Chingleput & N. Arcot. Report of the preparation of, – for certain roads proposed in connection with the Railroad within the districts of, and sanction solicited for the execution of the work in anticipation of the sanction of the Budget – Referred for consideration in the P. W. Dept	27 Novr.	5. 6.

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———, for Sept. 1854 submitted - the charge of Rs 140 for medical attendance brought to notice by the Cons. Eng. Explanation of the Agent Sanctioned -		
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———"———, for November 1854 submitted Sanctioned	20 "	7. 8.
———"———, up to 30th Sept. 1854 submitted Recorded	17 April	11. 12
Bridge over Cochrane's Canal. Report on the, - incurred on account of the, - to the end of January/55 submitted - Remarks of the Consg. Engineers. The explanation accepted as accounting in some degree at least for the excess of, - incurred. The causes submitted not to apply to any future occasions of increased, - The non satisfactory state of the work regretted - The special attention to the, - by both the Chief Engr. & the Engineer of the - hoped for	5th June	13. 14
Accounts of, - during Decr. 1854 submitted - Certain charges objected to by the Cons. Engr. The Amt. recommended by the Cons. Engr. Sanctioned.	19th "	29. 30
Statements of, - for October & November 1854 submitted. Recorded	26th "	12. 13.
Rolling Stock Departt. - Accounts of, - in, - for April & May/55 Sanctd. - Information regarding travelling allowance to Mr. Leggatt, Carriage foreman required	31st July	11. 12
Statements of, - for Dec. 1854 submitted - Recorded	14th Augt.	20. 21.
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Supplemental Estimates when the necessity for an,— beyond that sanctd becomes apparent — & for the more careful preparation of Estimates with special reference to the foundation of Bridges	21st Augt.	1. 2.
Districts I, II, III & VII Statement of,— & receipts on account of,— ~~submitted~~ Sanction for a further advance of Rs 75,000 solicited Authorized	28th	5 & 7
District VI Statement of,— & receipts on account of,— submitted — Sanction for a further advance of Rs 10,000 solicited. Authorized	"	"
Statement of, for January 1855 submitted Recorded	"	8. 9.
Rolling Stock Depart. Information regarding the travelling allowance to Mr. Leggatt, supplied. See Locomotive Dept.	4th Sept	10 & 12
Statement of,— for February/55 submitted. Recorded	"	23. 24
" , for March/55 submitted Recorded	2d Oct.	16. 17.
" of, for April 1855 submitted Recorded	11 Decr	22. 23.
" of, for May 1855 submitted Recorded	11 "	26. 27.

1855 Land	Consultation. Date.	No.
Ballast &c. Memo of Col. Baker Cons. Engr. to the Govt. of India on the subject of, — required for, — The Cons. Engr. to be guided by the course adopted in Bengal — The same communicated to the Railway Agent	30th Jany.	7.8.
Perambore — decision on Miss A. C. Bird's claim to compensation for, — taken up for the railway at — submitted. Permission solicited for the payment of the award. Sanctioned	19 February	3.4
Ballast — issue of instructions to Collrs. to arrange, in commn. with the Cons: Engr., for obtaining & making over to the Railway authorities temporary possession of such, — as may be required for, — or other incidental purposes — solicited. Complied with	27th Feby.	1.2.
Terminus — Minu. Cons. Jud. Dept. directing Coll. of Madras at once to proceed with the settlement of the claims connected with the — selected as a site for the — as well as for the new Penitentiary — communicated. Recorded	27th March	5.6.
Buildings at Royapooram — correspondence on the subject of the valuation of certain, — purchased by Govt. & handed over to the Railway Co. The Mily. Bd. to furnish certain information regarding the, — as well as the — for the Terminus.	3d April	3.4.
Perambore — representation of Miss A. C. Bird of the insufficiency of the compensation allowed to her for the, — taken up for the railway at — & application for a larger amount of compensation with Interest. Actg. Coll. of Chingleput to reconsider the award & report whether the value of the property may be fairly calculated at a higher rate	13th "	2.3
Terminus — Report of the Coll. of Madras that the, — required for the — as well as for the Penitentiary has been taken up & the compensation settled — Orders solicited as to whom he is to make it over — Coll. to retain the, — until further orders	22d May	1.2.

Land	Consultation. Date.	No.
Buildings near Royapooram - information required regarding the valuation of the, - furnished by the Military Board. Chief Engr. to report at what amount he would value the materials of 4 houses at Royapooram if they were pulled down	29th May	3. 4.
Perambore. Proposal of the Coll. of Chingleput to award to Miss A. C. Bird Rs. 2,130 as compensation for the, - taken up for the Railway at, - The award sanctioned	5th June	4. 5.
Royapooram - report of the Chief Engr. P. W. - of the amount of valuation of the materials of the 4 houses at - proposed to be pulled down for the Railway. The Buildings charged to the Railway Co. at the rate fixed by the Chief Engineer P. W.	" "	6. 7.
Beypoor - authority for making over certain, - at, - for Western Terminal Station applied for. Authorized (See Stations)	19 "	6. 7.
Royapooram - Report of the Agent that the Sub Treasr. refuses the tender of the payment of the value of certain houses in, - purchased by the Railway Co. The Sub Treasr. authorized to receive the amount tendered	3rd July	17. 18.
Acts XX of 1852 & I of 1854 - application from the Actg. Coll. of Madras for similar powers as that granted to Mr Stokes to enable him to carry out the provisions of, - Vested accordingly	24th "	3. 4
Statements - application of the Cons. Engr. to be furnished by the Collectors of Districts along the line of Railway with, - of the amounts paid in compensation for, - trees, buildings &ca on account of the Railway & to be furnished from time to time with similar, - distinguishing the, - conveyed by Govt. under contract, from that which the Railway Co. should themselves pay for, - Collectors instructed accordingly	4th Sept.	21. 22.

1855. Land (continued)		Consultation. Date.	No.
Compensation for.	Report of the Coll^r. of Salem on the progress made in awarding and paying, — authority to entertain a Jemadar at Rs 25 pr. mensem & 2 Peons each at Rs. 4 — for expediting the measures necessary for the determination of the, — Commd. to the Cons. Eng^r. — His attention drawn to the irregularities on the part of the Railway Officers — Instructions to the Coll^r. of Salem — The entertainment for 6 months, of the Estab^t. applied for — sanctioned	18th Sept	3. 4
Compensation —	attention of the Coll^rs. of Malabar & N. Arcot drawn to the requisition of Gov^t. for information regarding the, — made over to the Railway & the amount of, — awarded & paid by them for, —	25th "	5.
Compensation —	Certain Coll^rs. called upon by Circular, to submit at the end of each quarter, Bills for all payments, made by them on account of, —	"	6.
Compensation —	Statement of the extent of, — taken up for the Railway & the amount of, — paid for it, submitted by the Coll^r. of Coimbatore. Coll^r. requested to furnish the detailed Account called for. Remarks of Gov^t. on the Statement submitted	"	10. 11.
Compensation —	Statement of the amount of, — awarded for, — taken up for the Railway in the Chingleput District submitted. Recorded	"	19. 20.
Disbursements for	Report of the Coll^r of Madras on the progress made in the settlement of the various claims connected with lands taken up for railway purposes, and sanction solicited for the actual amount of, and that 3 months pay be presented to certain officers on whom devolved the chief labour of Enquiring into & preparing the claims for final disposal — Explanation subd. as to why 10 per cent was added to the estimated value of certain buildings. The accounts sanctioned and remuneration made to the parties recommended except the Sheristadar whose claim was inadmissible	30th Oct^r	
Possession. of.	Explanation submitted by the Coll^r of Salem on the comments made by Gov^t on the proceedings of the Railway Officers in obtaining		

Land (continued).		Consultation. Date.	No.
	obtaining, — for Railway purposes. proposal to make a reference to the Consulting Engr. of the formalities to be observed in obtaining, — intimated — The Collr to make known the result of the proposed reference and the accounts for compensation to be forwd quarterly to the Bd. of Revenue.	14 Novr	5. 6.
Compensation for,	Report of the Collr of N. Arcot upon the progress made in the settlement of, — submitted — The report considered unsatisfactory — the extent of ground required for the Station near Vellore considered sufficient —	11 Decr	1. 2
"	Application for the repayment of a sum of money deposited by Khimud & Kamrool Dowlah & others with the Collr of Madras in the matter of a claim to, — The opinion of the Advocate Genl called for on the matter	11th "	18. 19.
Possession of —	Result of the reference made for the formalities to be observed by the Officer deputed to give, reported by the Collr of Salem — Recorded	18 "	12. 13

1855. Lines of Railway	Consultation. Date.	No.
Perambore to Egmore - Estimate of the probable cost of constructing the proposed branch - from - submitted - Cons.^d Eng^{rs} remarks - Rs 1,50,000 considered by that Officer ample for the line of 3¼ miles including the Station House. Referred for the decision of the Railway Board	5th January	9. 10.
Cuddapah and Bellary - Agent reports that he is prepared to detach 2 Engineers for the survey of the, - Suggestion of the Cons. Eng^r that if Gov^t intend to await the orders of the Supreme Gov^t on the subject the Eng^{rs} may be employed in surveying the branch - from Vaniembaddy to Bangalore. Observed that no orders can be passed on the subject till the decision of the Gov^t of India is known - The employment meanwhile of the Eng^{rs} in the survey of the latter line not objected to	13 Feb^y	15. 16
District N° 3 - Surveys & Estimates for the, - in - submitted for sanction - Remarks of the Cons. Eng^r. Sanctioned	13th March	1. 2
Salem & Coimbatore - arrangements made for carrying on the work between, - submitted for approval. Approved	15th May	5. 6.
Western Coast & Madras - report upon the State of the works along the - between the - submitted by the Cons. Eng^r. Satisfactory - Brought to the Court's notice - Remarks of Gov^t -	29 "	7. 8
Bombay & Madras - views of the Madras Gov^t as to point of junction of the, - solicited by that of Bombay. Cons. Eng^r to submit his views on the subject	5th June	8. 9
Perambore to Egmore - Reports of the Agent & Chief Railway Eng^r on the proposed branch, - from, - Remarks of the Cons. Eng^r thereon. Report of the Coll^r of Madras of the cost of the land required for the line - Minutes of the President & the Members of Gov^t. Forw^d for the decision of the Honble Ct.		

1855 Lines of Railway (continued)

	Consultation. Date.	No.
Agent to submit a full report on the subject of Workshops with Plans & Estimates of the several classes of buildings – Royapooram considered the best site for the Workshops	5th June	19@24
Inspectors of, correspondence on the subject of increase of salaries to, – submitted – Remarks of Cons. Eng. Salaries of certain, – increased on a scale recommended by the Cons. Engr. The remainder continued in their present pay & allowances – The other questions to be determined by the Railway Board	10th July	3.4
Cuddapah & Bellary – Views of the Govt. of India on the questions raised in the reports on the survey of the lines towards, – Commd. by that authority Commt. to the Consg. Engineer	17th "	5.6
Inspectors of, – information sought for by the Agent as to whether vacancies caused by casualties among, – appointed in England may be filled up by the Chief Railway Engineer The Agent to ascertain the wishes of the Railway Bd. on the matter	31st "	3.4.
Survey of – correspondence relative to the, – of a portion of, – See (Surveys).	28th Augt.	1.2
Bombay & Madras – Views of the Agent on the point of junction in the line between, – Suggestion of the Cons. Engr. that an Engineer be sent from Madras to arrange where the proposed lines from the 2 Presidencies should meet. The sending of an Engr. from Madras, until it be decided by the Supreme Govt. to which Company the work of forming the Railway over the tracts constituting the Raichore Doab shall be confided, – considered premature. The same commd. to the Bombay Govt.	18th Septemr.	5@8.
Madras & Bellary – Explanation of the Cons. Engr. of his views on the subject of the proposed – &c. Forwarded to the Govr. Genl. & the Court.	25th "	12@14

Lines of Railway (contd)	Consultation Date.	Consultation No.
Madras & Bellary. Explanation of the Cons. Engr. of his views on the proposed, - from, Forwarded to the Govt. of India	3d Octr.	1.
Bombay and Madras. Intimation made by the Govr. Genl that the question as to who is to undertake the construction of the, - in the Raichore Doab intervening between the boundaries of, - will be referred to the Court - Communicated to the Const. Engr.	9th "	13. 14
Madras to Bellary. Intimation made that the correspondence connected with the, - from, has been sent to the Court - Comd to the Consulting Engr.	16 "	3. 4
Bombay & Madras. Information given by the Bombay Govt. that the correspondence on the point of junction in the line between, - has been furnished to the Great Indian Peninsula Railway Company - Comd to the Consulting Engr.	30 "	3. 4
Madras to Bellary Views of Consulting Engineer on the line from, forwarded to the Court - intimation of the same made by the Govt. of India Comd. to the Cons. Engr.	6 Novr.	1. 2

	Consultation.	
	Date.	No.

1855 Locomotive Department

Subject	Particulars	Consultation Date	Consultation No.
Engines	opinion of the Chief Engr. regarding the landing of the, - & the Establishment required for the Traffic and, — Views of the Consulting Engr. Forwarded to the Court & the early consideration of the Board of Railway Directors requested	15th Feb.	5. 6
Foreman, Engine Drivers, Artificers &ca	sanction for the disbursement of Rs 100 for one month on account of House rent for the, expected from England - Solicited. Sanctd.	" "	13. 14.
Superintendent	arrival of, - reported & sanction solicited for the disbursement of his salary. Sanctioned	6th March	1. 2
"	application of the Agent for an establishment for the, - at a cost of Rs. 259 pr. mensem including House & office Rent. Remarks of the Consulting Engr. thereon. The Establishment for the, - sanctioned - The views of the Cons: Engr. commd. to the Agent with a view to his obtaining the instructions of the Railway Bd regarding the grant of allowances to individuals engaged in England	" "	17. 18.
Articled Pupils	permission to appoint six, — in the, - under the instructions of the Supdt., on the same rate of pay as is allowed to pupils in the Engr. Dept. solicited. Permitted - The Agent to furnish annually reports on their progress & conduct	20 "	3. 4
Foreman, Engine Drivers, &ca	arrival of the, - reported & sanction solicited for the disbursement of their salaries. Sanctioned	13th April	4. 5.
Mechanics	arrival of certain, - reported & sanction for the disbursement of their salaries submitted. Sanctioned	17 "	3. 4
Carriages &ca	correspondence relative to the construction of, - with Tender from Messrs. Simpson & Co. submitted, with remarks, by the Cons. Engr. Acceptance of the Tender authorised. H. C. Sol: to furnish the form of Contract to be executed - Cons Engr. to ascertain from Calcutta what is the cost of carriages similar to those now required, at the Bengal Presidency	"	7. 8

1855 Locomotive Depart. (continued)		Consultation. Date.	No.
Engine Fitter	- arrival of Mr. C. Westgarth, - reported & sanction solicited for the disbursement of his salary. Sanctioned	8th May	1.2
Candidates	for, examination of, - reported & recommended for entertainment. Sanctioned	15th "	3.4
Apothecary	- entertainment of an, - on a monthly salary of Rs. 40 for affording medical aid to, - recommended. Sanctioned	" "	7.8
Engines &c.	the suspension of the landing of, - recommended. See (Miscellaneous)	22nd "	11.12
4 Superintendent of,	- Mins. Cons. Mily. Dept. approving the Mily. Bd's suggestion for obtaining the services of the, - to visit the Arsenal & Gun Carriage manufactory & to report upon the Govt. Working Establishments and their wants. The Cons: Engr. to apply to the Railway Agent for the services of the, -	5th June	15.16
1 Advance	- of Rs 10,000 to meet the expenses of the, - & the Carriage Building Dept. - solicited. Sanctioned	12th "	14.15
Artificers	- arrival of 2, - from England, reported - sanction for the payment of their salaries solicited. Sanctioned	26th "	5.6
3 Locomotives	- arrival & safe landing of 4, - reported. Recorded	"	16.17
1 Carriages	(Passengers') - sanction to a charge of Rs. 45 pr. month for the hire of a house for the covering of the, - sent out from England solicited. Sanct.	3rd July	11.12
4 Coke Burner	- arrival of Christopher Townly, - reported - Sanction for the disbursement of his salary solicited. Sanct.	" "	15.16
3 Carriages	- report of Locomotive Supdt. of the relative cost of the, - constructed at Calcutta & those made by Messrs. Simpson & Co. Recorded	10th "	24.25
1 Advances	- Statement showing the, - & payments made on account of, - submitted - Advance of Rs. 15,000 solicited. Advanced	17th "	1.2

1855. Locomotive Departt. (continued)	Consultation. Date.	Consultation. No.
Leggatt, Mr. increase to the salary of, — fireman in, — recommended. Sanctioned subject to the orders of the Railway Board.	17th July	19.20.
—"— information regarding travelling allowance to, — required. See (Expenditure)	31st "	11.12
Artificers — arrival of certain, — reported — Sanction for the disbursement of their salaries solicited. Sanctioned	14th Augt.	12.13.
Conveyance of Banghy Parcels by Railway — not on service — fixed by the Govt. of India at the rate of passengers Baggage viz 1/3 anna pr. maund pr. mile. Commd. to the Cons. Engr.	" "	18.19
Leggatt — Mr. — Explanation relative to the travelling allowance to, — in the Accts. for April & May submitted — Expenditure Account for Contingencies & construction in, — during June/55 submitted — Remarks of the Cons. Engr. — The Accounts sanctd. & the travelling allowed to, — only so long as the Contract alluded to lasts	4th Sept.	10@12.
Accident — to the Tender & Ballast waggon — reported — Explanation of the circumstances which caused the, — submitted	" "	25@28
Traffic manager — arrival of, — reported — Sanction for the disbursement of his salary solicited V/Agency/ Sanctd.	25th "	3.4.
Locomotives. Arrival & safe landing of 4, reported. Recorded	23d Octr	11.12
Accounts. (Contingent) for July 1855 Subd. Sanctd	30 "	1.2
Engine. Intimation made to run three trains a week & to run the No. 1 Passenger, on Friday — Recorded	30 "	16.17.
Carriages. Construction of 12 — 3d Class, — authorized	23d "	5.6.
Draughtsman. Entertainment of a, on a monthly salary of 100 Rs. recommended. Sanctd	14 Novr	7.8.
Bill — (Contingent) for Augt 1855 Subd. Sanctd	14th "	9.10.
Superintendent of the, Correspondence regarding an application of the Agent to the, for certain information relative to the state of the line in prospect of the Govr. Genl. coming to Madras by the Railway — disapprobation of the Chief Engr. to the course adopted by the Agent — Views of Govt.	20 "	7.8.

Locomotive Dept (contd)	Consultation. Date.	No.
Building for the. Sketch and Estimate of a,- for the accommodation of Waggons submitted for sanction Sanctioned	27 Novr	17. 18
Superintendent of the. Apology tendered by the Chief Engineer for adopting the language used by him to the Agent on the matter of this latter having obtained certain information from the, regarding the state of the line- Accepted and forwd to the Court	11 Decr	4. 5
Advances- Statement shewing the,- and payments made on account of,- submitted - Advance of Rs 20,000 solicited Advanced	11 "	8. 9
Superintendent of the,- View taken by the Consulting Engineer in the matter of the Agent having applied to the, for the information as to the rate of speed at which the train for the Govr Genl should travel-. The correspondence on the subject forwd to the Court for comn to the Board of Drs.	18 "	10. 11

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	Consultation.	
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1855 Miscellaneous

	Consultation Date.	Consultation No.
Electric Telegraph Line – License for the establishment of an, – by the Railway Co. forwarded by the Govt. of India for transmission to the Agent. Transmitted	15th Feby.	7.8.
Treasure (conveyance of) Scale of charges throughout India fixed, as an experimental measure, by the Government of India. Commd. to the Consulting Engineer	19 "	1.2
Consulting Physician – application of, – for the services of a writer on Rs. 20 pr. mensem submitted for sanction. Sanctioned	13th March	7.8.
Native Agency – Despatch from the Ct. relative to the employment of, – on the Railway, forwarded by the Govt. of India & the opinion of the Madras Govt. required by that authority. The Cons. Eng. to report on the subject	13th April	6.7.
Baggage of Troops – revision of the orders regulating the amount of, – to be carried by the Railway Co. free of charge. Commd. by the Govt. of India – The Equivalent in Indian maunds & seers substituted for the weights in pounds avoirdupois – Commd. to the Cons. Engr. & to the Military Department	24 "	3.4.
Heavy Goods – the suspension of the landing of the, – pr. "Havering" recommended by the Master Attendant – Compliance of the Agent with the request. Recorded	22 May	11.12.
Returns of Sick – on the Railway Estt. during April 1855 submitted. Recorded	5th June	25.26
Complaints against Railway Officials – preferred by Rungiah a priest in the Tongaricottah Talook, Salem – Disposal of the cases reported by the Magistrate of the District. Not interfered with the cases having been judicially disposed of: The Magte. to use his best endeavours to repress acts of violence or oppression on the part of Railway Subordinates & to maintain a friendly feeling between them and the Native Inhabitants	19th June	[illegible]

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1855. Miscellaneous (continued)

	Consultation.	
	Date.	No.
Electric Telegraph Line - permission solicited for indenting on the Telegraph Dept. for wire & instruments sufficient for 75 miles of the, - on payment also for 50 copies of their Code of Instructions & Standing Orders Suggestion of the Cons. Engr. relative to the instruction in the use of the Instruments &c, of a limited number of Young men entertained by the Railway Co. The Govt. of India applied to for the requisite authority for supplying the wire & Code of Rules - Dy. Supdt. E. T. Dept. to report whether he can undertake to instruct the youths referred to in the use of the Telegraph Instruments	19th June	8 @ 10
Railway Act & Rules - application of the Agent for the Tamil and Teloogoo translations of, - in view to their being printed. The Tamil & Teloogoo Translator to furnish the translations	"	11. 12
3 Electric Telegraph Line - Report of the Dy. Supdt. Teleg: Dept. that all the principal Stores for the, - will have to be supplied from Calcutta & that there will be no difficulty in instructing the young men in the use of the Telegraph Instruments. Commd. to the Cons. Engineer	26th	7. 8
Act XVIII of 1854. - Printing of 50 copies of certain clauses of, - in Hindustani, Tamil & Teloogoo recommended by the Chief Magte. & Supdt. of Police 50 copies in Tamil & Teloogoo Struck off - Hindustani translations of, - to be submitted by the Persian Translator to Govt.	3rd July	9. 10.
3 Calicut. application of Agent for the services of the Zillah Surgeon at, - being made available to the Company - an allowance of Rs. 50 pr. month to that Officer recommended	Janct. 10th	10. 11.
4 Returns of Sick - on the Railway Estt. submitted. Recorded	"	20. 3
2 Act XVIII of 1854. 50 copies of the Hindustani translation of, - struck off		

1855 *Miscellaneous* (continued)	Consultation. Date.	No.
off for the use of the Ch: Magr & Supdt of Police	17th July	7. 8.
American Railways - application of the Cons. Engr to be furnished regularly with the periodical reports on, - Brought to the notice of the Court	4th Sept	17. 18.
Monegar Choultry. permission to contribute a donation not exceeding Rs 350 to, - solicited. A donation not exceeding Rs 250 allowed to be contributed	"	19. 20
Returns of Sick - on the Railway Estabt submitted - Recorded	11th "	13. 14.
Electric Telegraph Line. Intimation made by the Govt of India of the inability of the Supt E. T. to supply the wire for the, also where the Instruments and Code of Rules required can be procured, that 2 or 3 Probationers can be received in each of the Madras Telegraph Offices for instruction in the use of the Instruments. Comd to the Consg Engr & Dy Supt E. T.	2d Oct	10. 11
Electric Telegraph Line - Permission solicited for authorizing the Agent to apply to England for the wire and instruments required for the, - and a reference to the Supt E. T. suggested as to the objections of the Agent to the use on Railway Telegraphs of the present instruments. - Authority granted accordingly, and the reference suggested made	9th "	10 @ 12.
Ticket. Decision of the Govt of India on the application of the Bombay Post Master for a perpetual, to enable him to travel by the Rail free of charge. Comd to the Cons: Engr	27th Novr	11. 12.
Lithographed Plan. Application of the Govt of India for a copy of the, & section of the Madras Railway in the Trevellum & Arcot Dists - The Consg Engr to comply with the application	11 Decr	12. 13
Railway Report - Bill for printing 300 copies of the, for 1854 submitted. Sanctd	17 "	14. 15
Lithographed Plan - Copy of the, of the Madras Railway forwarded for submission to the Govt of India. Transmitted	18	3. 4
Railway Report - Distribution of 300 copies of the, directed	18	7.

Miscellaneous (contd)	Consultation. Date.	No.
Bill - of expenses incurred in preparation for the journey of the Govt Genl Sanctioned	18 Decr	8.9

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	Consultation.	
	Date.	No.

1855 Rails	Consultation. Date.	No.
Value of, arrangements made for realizing the, — sold by the Commander of the "Daylesford" Recorded	23d Jan	5. 6
— " — claim of the Railway against the "Daylesford" for the, — 638 Iron, — short delivered reported settled by a Bill of Exchange drawn by Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co	13th Febry	19. 20
Railway Terminus — correspondence relative to the, — across the West End of, — Submitted		
Agent to forward Plan & Estimate for the Bridge proposed to be erected over the lines of, — across the W. E. of, — with a Survey of the extent & position of ground beyond the present road, required for the approaches to the Bridge.	10th July	14. 15

	Consultation.	
	Date.	No.

1855. Reports

	Consultation. Date.	No.
Progress - Fortnightly - submitted Recorded	5th Jany	11. 12
" for Aug. & Sept. 1854 submitted "	" "	13. 14
Railway Works - Special, - of the Chief Engr. on the state of the - in Section II of District No 1 submitted. Recorded	9 "	3. 4
Progress - from 15th to 31st Dec. 1854 furnished Satisfactory in all but District 14	30 "	5. 6
" , Summary of, - shewing the amount of work done, from the commencement up to 31st Oct 1854 submitted Recorded	" "	11. 12
" , Summary of, - shewing the amount of work done from the commencement up to 30th Nov. 1854 submitted Recorded	27th Feb.	5. 6
" , Fortnightly - ending 15th Jany. 1855 - submitted - Remarks of the Cons. Engr. - Inconvenience occasioned by people interfering with flags, pickets &ca brought to notice - Adoption of measures for the punishment of convicted offenders & for the prevention of similar abuses recommended. Measures adopted accordingly.	13. March	3. 4
" , during December 1854, submitted Recorded	" "	22. 23.
" , Fortnightly - ending 31st Janr. 1855 submitted Recorded	20 "	17. 18
" , during January 1855 submitted Recorded	24th April	5. 6.
" , Fortnightly, - of, - made in surveying & staking out the line on certain portions of the Railway submitted Recorded	" "	7. 8
" , Fortnightly, ending 15th March 1855 submitted Do.	8th May	10. 11
" , do. — " 31st — " — "	22 "	9. 10
Operations of the Railway Departt. 200 copies of the printed, - on the, - for /53 distributed	5th June	10.
Operations of the Railway Dept. for 1854 - Reports on, - submitted Satisfactory - Remarks of Government. Instructions relative to the printing of the, -	12th "	16. 17
Progress - shewing the work done from the commencement up		

1855. Reports (continued)		Consultation. Date.	No.
	up to 31st March/55 - submitted — Recorded	12th June	18@21.
Progress:-	Fortnightly, - during April/55 submitted - Dissatisfaction expressed at the irregular transmission of - unsatisfactory nature of the, - in District 5 noticed	19th	13.14.
—"—	Fortnightly - ending 30th April/55 submitted — Recorded	"	35.36.
—"—	fortnightly - ending 15th May/55 submitted. — Recd.	26th "	14.15.
District No. 5,	Agent submits Ch: Engrs., - as to the cause of the small amount of work done in, - — Recd.	3d July	25.26
Survey & Staking out, -	in certain districts submitted — Recorded	10th "	18.19
Progress -	shewing the work done in certain districts up to 30th April/55 submitted — Recorded	"	22.23
Survey & Staking out, -	in certain Districts submitted — Recorded	17th	21.22
Progress.	Explanation of the Chief Engr. of his remark in the, - for May, that he was hampered for want of funds. Remarks of the Cons. Engr. Views of the Cons. Engr. concurred in. Railway Agent to check similar representations or not to pass them without an expression of dissent	7th Augt.	9.10.
Survey	- for the fortnight ending 30th June/55 submitted — Recorded	"	14.15.
Progress,	for June 1855 submitted. — Recorded	21st	10.11.
Districts 4, 5, 6, 9, 11, 15 & 17	- Survey - of, for fortnight ending 15th July, furnished — Recorded	28th	10.11.
Railway Departt., -	operations of, - from June/53 to 30th April/55 — forwd. to the Govt. of India	11th Sept.	7.8
Survey & Staking out -	in certain districts for the fortnights ending 31st July & 15th Augt. 1855 furnished — Recorded	25th	21@24
Progress -	for July 1855 submitted - Delay in the submission of the, noticed	9th Oct.	15.16.
Progress	on the construction of Rolling stock. Authority granted by the Agent to proceed with the construction of 12 more 3d Class Carriages reported — Approved	23d	5.6.

Reports (continued)		Consultation. Date.	No.
Progress.	Explanation of the delay in sending the, for July 1855 submitted Recorded	6 Nov.	19.20
"	for August 1855 submitted - Forwarded to the Court, and their attention called to the little progress made -	14th "	3.4
"	Fortnightly, ending 31st Augt & 15 Septr 1855 submitted - Unsatisfactory nature of the, in Distt. V noticed - The, forwarded to the Court	20th "	1.2
"	for Septr. 1855 submitted - The result exhibited in the, considered unsatisfactory -	11th Dec.	16.17
"	Fortnightly, in certain Districts submitted Recorded	11 "	24.25
"	Fortnightly, in certain Districts up to 31 Octr/55 submitted Recorded	18 "	14.15
"	Do. in certain Districts up to 15th Novr 1855 submitted Recorded	18 "	16.17
"	Do. in certain Districts up to 30 Septr 1855 submitted Recorded	18 "	18.19

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1855. Sleepers	Consultation. Date.	No.
Accounts - for Nov. 1854 Sanctioned	6th February	1.2
——"—— for Dec. 1854	13th "	11. 12
——"—— for January 1855	15th March	9. 10
Purchase of, application for an advance of Rs 30,000 for the, - submitted Sanctioned	" "	18. 19
Advance - of Rs 40,000 on account of, - applied for Authorized - The non-transmission of the application thro' the Cons. Engr. - noticed	17th April	5. 6
Accounts - for February 1855 - sanctioned	24th "	1. 2
Accounts - for March & April /55 Sanctioned	12th June	1 @ 3.
Statement - of advances & payments on account of, - submitted. Application of the Agent for a further advance of Rs 70,000 Sanctioned	26th "	9. 10
Statement. - of Expenditure incurred in the purchase of, - during May/55 submitted Sanctioned	17th July	11. 12.
Advance - further, - of Rs 50,000 on account of, - applied for - Sanctioned	31st " "	15. 16.
Statement - of Expenditure incurred in the purchase of, - during June/55 - submitted Sanctioned	7th August	11. 12.
Advance - an - of Rs 50,000 on account of, - authorized	18th Sept.	11. 12.
Statement - of Expenditure incurred in the purchase of, - during July and August 1855 - Sanctioned	25th	7 @ 9.
Accounts - for Septr 1855 Sanctd	6 Nov.	4. 5
Statement - of Expenditure incurred in the purchase of, - during Octr 1855 Sanctioned	11 Decr	10. 11

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1855. Stations	Consultation. Date.	No.
Buildings - correspondence regarding the, - for submitted. Recorded	6 February	9. 10
Madras Terminal. Revised Plans & Estimates for the buildings of the - submitted - remarks of the Cons: Engr. The alterations in the principal buildings of, - approved & the Estimates sanctioned	19 "	5. 6.
Position of, - correct maps of the Railway in Madras shewing the, - Workshops, roadcrossings &c. called for by the Govt. of India. The Cons. Engr. to obtain & furnish the maps, in duplicate.	27 "	3. 4
Villages near the vicinity of, The adoption of measures for introducing the greatest possible amount of improvement in the Style of building, & all arrangements connected with the establishment of the new, - recommended. Copy of Cons: Engr's letter forwd. to the Bd: of Revenue in view to their submitting their opinion, after communication with the Collrs. of districts traversed by the Railway, on the means that may be most fitly adopted for attaining the object	6th March	7. 8
Banaveram & Amnoor - proposal to have - at - commd. by the Cons: Engr. - also certain - on the right bank of the "Poiney" Approved - Instructions issued to the Collr. of N. Arcot thro' the Board of Revenue regarding the formation of branch roads to complete the communication with those stations,	13 March	1. 2.
Companypettah & Arcconum - proposal of the Agent to have - at - Recommendation of the Cons. Eng. to have one at the former instead of at the latter. Agent's reasons for having, - at - required before passing orders	15th May	13. 14
Terminus. orders on the principle contained in the Co's despatch respecting the Railway Co's liability to bear the entire expense of the roadway forming on the East of, - solicited by the Military Bd: Intimation made that Govt. do not perceive the object of the reference	29. May	11. 12
Companypettah & Arcconum - Agent's reasons for recommending, - at - submitted. Erection of a, - at the former Sanct[d]	"	15. 16

Stations (continued)

	Consultation. Date.	Consultation. No.
3 **Terminus** — The issue of instructions for the submission of a Memo of the entire cost of constructing a road in substitution of the one intended to be closed as running across the, — solicited by the Cons. Engr. in view to the amount being paid by the Agent into the General Treasury. Mil. Bd: to comply with the requisition — Certain Explanations made to the Court regarding the road in question	12th June	4.5.
2 **Line between Trivellum & the Moroor Pass** — correspondence relative to the proper positions for, — on the, — & the class of, — for each place. Remarks of the Cons Engr. Approved. The, — at Mullapooram to be a 1st Class, — The Agent to furnish Plans & Estimates for the, — & to forward Surveys showing the exact position & extent of ground required for each, —	"	8.9.
1 **Beypoor** — recommended as a site for the Western Terminus of the Railway — Authority for the ground being made over to the Railway Compy. solicited. Approved & Authorized	19th	6.7.
Terminus — proposal of the Agent to convert 3 of the buildings of, — into Store Rooms. & to place the Goods Warehouses at some site S. or S.W. of the Passengers' Shed. Recommendation of the Cons. Engr. Attention drawn to the orders of Govt. wherein Govt. were not satisfied of the propriety of removing the Work Shops from the Coast. — Intimation of Govt. that they will not object to any work being executed to the 3 northern Goods Warehouses which would be useful if it be decided that they are to be appropriated according to the original intention	"	15.16
5 ——— " ——— Explanation of the Mil. Bd: as to the reason of their referring to Govt. the question involving the principle laid down by the Ct. that the Railway Co should bear the whole cost of the road made in substitution of that closed up. Recorded	"	33.34

1855. Stations (continued)	Consultation. Date.	No.
Royapooram. Offer of the East Indian Iron Co. to supply the iron works for the passengers' shed at,- reported. Agent authorized to contract with the E. I. Iron Co. for the work required on certain conditions	10th July	12.13
Plans & Estimates, for, submitted for sanction. Sanctd. - Rs. 8295 considered a large sum for the, - at Perambore	24th "	11.12.
Coratoor, Companypettah & Ammoor. correspondence with Plans & Estimates for, - at,- submitted. Sanctd. at a cost of Rs. 4313-10-5 for each building with the modification suggested by the Cons. Engr.	31st "	13.14
Railway Terminus correspondence relative to the groynes to be constructed near the,- The proposed alteration in the boundary wall of,- sanctd. Instructions of Govt. regarding the Groynes under construction	14th Augt.	10.11.
Vellore.- correspondence regarding certain ground required for the, - at,- Proposal for removing a certain village in its immediate vicinity & for the transfer of the ground to the Railway Co. Collr. of N. Arcot to report upon the ground required for,- & on the proposal to remove the village referred to. Bd. of Revd. to reply to the reference relative to the introduction of improvements in the style of buildings &ca. to be constructed on the establishment of New Villages in the vicinity of,-	21st "	6.7.
" Villages near the vicinity of, E. M. C. Rev Dept communicating the measures adopted for introducing in the, every improvement in the style of building Native Villages. Recorded	2d Octr.	12.13
Railway Terminus. Intimation of the Cons Engr. of having authorized the Agent to construct a Groyne in front of the, at a cost of 1200 Rs. Recorded	2d "	14.15
" Construction by the Railway Officers of a Groyne opposite the, sanctd. & Comd. to the Cov: Engr.	9th "	1. 2

Stations (contd)		Consultation. Date.	No.
Perambore	Survey of the ground required for Workshops, Coal sheds &c near, submitted & authority solicited for taking possession of the ground & making it over to the Railway Company. The Collr of Chinglepat authorized accordingly	30 Octr	12. 13.
Madras	Estimate for making certain alterations in the principal Station Buildings at, Remarks of the Consg Engr. Alterations to a certain extent authorized - detailed drawings called for to admit of an examination of the Estimate.	27 Novr	1. 2
Royapooram	Plan & Estimate for the construction of a Bridge across the Railway at the neck of the Terminal station at, submitted & authority solicited for the land required for the approaches of the Bridge. The Estimate sanctioned and the Collr of Madras to arrange for making over to the Railway the land required	27 Novr	13. 14
Perambore	Estimate with plans for Coke Ovens, coal & coke depots at, Sancd	4 " Decr "	1. 2
Bannaveram	Construction of a 3d Class, - at, - sanctioned	18 Decr	5. 6.

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	Date.	No.

1855. Supplies		Consultation. Date.	No.
"Requisitions,"	on the Board for, — required for the various Depts. during 1856 submitted — Sanctioned	6th February	7. 8.
Stores —	Return of, — supplied by the Mily. Bd. during the half year ending 31st Dec. 1854 submitted — Recorded	6th March	21. 22
Stores, Rolling Stock &ca.	proposal of Ch. Railway Engr. to erect an experimental Pier near the Terminal Station at Royapooram for landing, — sanction to erect one at a cost of Rs. 6000 solicited Sanctd.	29 May	1. 2
Stores —	advance of Rs 54,000 for the purchase of, — & Timber applied for — irregularity in the preparation & submission of Returns of, — brought to notice Authorized — Agent's attention called to the importance of the regular & correct preparation of the Returns of, —	" "	5. 6
"	application of the Agent for permission to land, — at the Beach opposite the Railway Station — Letter from Dy. Colr. Sea Customs to the Agent submitted Colr. of Sea Customs to submit any observations he has to make thro' the Bd of Revenue	" "	9. 10
Stores, &ca.	Account of, — purchased during April/55 Sanctd. Agent required to submit his views on the grant of Conveyance allowance to his Storekeeper	12th June	6. 7.
Stores —	correspondence from the Agent intimating that as the Colr. of Sea Customs does not now desire to alter the existing arrangements for landing, — opposite the Station — they are satisfactory. No further orders necessary	3rd July	3. 4
Stores &ca —	Account of, — purchased during May/55 Sanctd.	24th "	5. 6
"	Statement of expenditure on account of, — for June 1855 sanctioned	14th Augt.	14. 15.
Stores	advance of Rs. 70,000 on account of, — applied for Authorized	1st September	5. 6.
Stores &ca.	Statement of expenditure on account of, — for July 1855. Sanctd.	2d. Octr.	8. 9
Stores &ca.	Statement of Expenditure on account of, — for Augt. 1855 Sanctioned Advance		

Supplies (contd)	Consultation Date.	No.
Stores - Advance of Rs 70,000 on account of, applied for. Authorised	23d Octr	3.4
Stores - Account of, purchased during Sept 1855 sanctioned	30 "	8.9

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	Date.	No.

1855. Surveys.	Consultation. Date.	No.
District 3. Estimates &c — for the line in — submitted for sanction		
See (Lines of Railway)	13th March	1. 2
Bangalore Branch — application for an Estabt. for Mr. Smart proposed to be employed in the survey of, —		
See (Engineer department)	20th "	1. 2
Vaniembaddy — report of the Cons. Engr. relative to the, — made by Lt. Tyrrell near — Order placing Lt. Tyrrells services at the Cons. Engrs. disposal cancelled	22d May	5. 6
Lithograph — correspondence relative to a, — & a section of a portion of the line of Railway — submitted		
Cons. Engr. to submit, — & sections of the line according to the specimen submitted in duplicate — as well as Sections & Surveys of the remainder of the line fr. time to time — D.P.W. to report how many copies will be required	5th July	5. 6.
Lithograph — 131 copies of, — required for distribution in the D.P.W. 140 copies in all furnished	10th	8. 9.
Reports — of, — & Staking out in certain districts		
See (Reports)	"	18. 19.
Lieut. Tyrrell. correspondence relative to the correctness of the levels taken by, — submitted — Remarks of the Cons. Engr. Lt. Tyrrell's work generally approved. Cons. Engr. observations commd. to D.P.W. & to, —	17th	3. 4
Cuddapah & Bellary. — views of the Govt. of India on the report of, — of the lines towards, — See (Lines of Railway)	"	5. 6
Lithograph. 15 reams of Double Elephant paper for preparing, — of the lines of Railway applied for		
Mil. Bd: to comply with the requisition	31st "	1. 2
Reports of, — for the fortnight ending 30th June/55 submitted		
See (Reports)	7th Augt.	14. 15
Line of Railway — correspondence relative to the, — of a portion of the, — Expediency of a European officer being appointed for each district thro' which the line [illegible]		

1855 Surveys (continued)		Consultation. Date.	No.
	passes to attend to the making over & paying for the land required & for settling all disputes The proposed arrangements concurred in - The want of Assistants regretted - Information sought as to the progress made in awarding & paying compensation for land taken up	28th Aug	1. 2
District 14.	Omission of the Agent to furnish explanation of the delay in the preparation of, - & sections of, - brought to notice - Remarks of the Cons. Engr. Explanation to be submitted	"	3. 4
Reports of, -	in certain Districts See (Reports)	"	10. 11
Great Trigonometrical	The adoption of measures for preventing the destruction of the Observatories, Stations & Base Line marks of, - in the course of Railway, - directed by the Govt. of India Commd. to the Agent thro' the Cons. Engr.	7th Septr.	5. 6.
Reports of, -	in certain Districts See (Reports)	25th	21 - 22
(District 14.	Explanation of the delay in the preparation of, - and sections of, - furnished Mr. Gales proceedings considered very dilatory & unsatisfactory - The subject brought to the notice of the Court	6 Novr.	15. 16.

1855. Timber

		Consultation. Date.	No.
Pegu -	correspondence & report connected with the trade of, in, - forwarded to the Govt. of India	6. march	20.
Advance -	application from the Agent for an - of Rs. 70,000 for the purchase of, - required for the construction of Rolling Stock - Remarks of the Cons. Engr. - Application from the Agent that the, - applied for may be sanctioned without the counter-signature of the Consg. Engr. The - authorized. - The procuring of supplies for the service of the Railway, by public advertisement, deemed advisable - its adoption to the fullest extent possible consistent with the interests of the Railway Co., directed	20 -	11 @ 13.
Advance	of, Rs 50,000 for the purchase of, - & Stores applied for Sanctioned	29th May	5. 6
Statement -	of payments on account of, - & Stores Submitted Further advance of Rs. 50,000 solicited Advanced	3d. July	13. 14
Pegu	Measures adopted for conserving the timber forests in, reported. Comd. to the Consulting Engineer	9th Oct.	8. 9.

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	Date.	No.

1855. Workshops		Consultation. Date.	No.
Advance	– application for an, – of Rs 1,20,000 on account of Construction & – without Submission of a Statement of Expenditure — Declined	5th Jany	5-6
Advance	– application for a further, – of Rs 1,81,000 on account of construction and, – with Statement of Expenditure — Sanctioned	16 "	1.2.
Carriages &ca	– authority for inviting tenders for the construction of a small supply of, – as the – will not be completed for some months — Authorized – but the Cons. Engr's opinion on the description of Carriages to be constructed – first required	" "	6.7.
Advance	– application for a further, – of Rs 45,000 for construction and, – — Sanctioned	13 February	9.10
"	– application for an – of Rs 85,000 on account of Construction and, – — Sanctioned	13 March	16.17.
Advances	– refusal of the Sub Treasurer to make certain, – sancd. by Govt, without the countersignature of the Cons Engr brought to notice – The grant of authority to the Sub Treasurer to disburse the – solicited — Authorized	20	14@16.
"	the disbursement of certain – sanctioned by Govt, without the countersignature of the Cons. Engr, – solicited — Orders already issued	27 "	1@3
Plate Layers.	Bd's sanction of Horse allowance to Inspectors of, – conveyed by the Agent thro' the Cons. Engr – as well as for house accommodation to Europeans attached to, – — Recorded	8th May	6.7.
Latheman	– arrival of Mr. Cairns, – reported – Sanction solicited for the disbursement of his salary — Sancd.	29 "	13.14
Carriages	– Preparation of a contract to be entered into between Messrs. Simpson & Co & the Railway Agent for the construction of two 1st Class, – & 8 composite bodies of, – reported by the Hon: Co's Solicitor — Commd. to the Cons. Engineer	5th June	17.18
Plate Layers	– Permission for applying to the Railway Bd: for 2 additional, – from England solicited — Permitted	19th "	19.20

1855. **Workshops.** (continued)

		Consultation. Date.	No.
Advance	— correspondence relative to the; — of Rs. 130,000 on account of, —. Construction & Contingencies. See (Construction)	19th June	25.26
Temporary	— irregularity in proceeding with the erection of, — at Royapooram without application being made to Govt. pointed out — Recommendation of the Cons. Engr. that Plans & Estimates in support of Mr. Bruce's opinion that Rs 22,000 will be required for the, — be called for. Agent's attention drawn to the irregularity: Plans & Estimates for works absolutely necessary called for	" "	31.32
Advance	— an — to the extent of 1,80,000 for, — & construction applied for. See (Construction)	3d July	7.8
Accounts	— Explanation regarding the non-transmission of, — submitted. Admitted. Agent to see that complete & accurate returns of Stores & the outturn of, are duly rendered	10th	6.7
Temporary.	Explanation regarding the, — at the Terminal Station — Report of the Agent on the proper position for the permanent, — The building of 3 out of the 6 sanctd. goods warehouses at the Terminal station (to complete those already commenced & for) at Perambore — Sanctd. Plans & Estimates &c called for	14th Augt.	16.17
Royapooram	correspondence relating to the unauthorized commencement of certain, — in the station ground at, — in addition to those already brought to his notice. Considered unsatisfactory — & that the Engineer Officers of the Railway are acting on a settled system of disregard of the orders of Govt. The whole proceedings reported to the Ct. — The Plans & Estimates already called for to be immediately submitted with any Explanation the Agent may have to offer	18th Sept.	13.14
Royapooram	Explanation of the Agent relative to the unauthorized commencement of certain, — in the station ground at, & Plans & Estimates of		

Workshops (contd)	Consultation. Date.	No.
of those Buildings furnished - Proposal of the Consulting Engr that outline sketches of all proposed buildings be submitted to Govt for approval and when approved complete drawings not be forwarded - and that his observations on certain remarks of the Agent regarding his position and powers will be soon forwarded		
The Estimate sanctioned - The Rule proposed by the Cong Engr regarding outline sketches to be adopted for the future - further discussion on these buildings considered undesirable - Govt relieved of all responsibility for the expenditure, as the Buildings were constructed contrary to the Rules - The Agents remarks regarding his position ford to the C.	9 Octr	3. 4.
Advances for to the extent of Rs 20,000 sanctioned	30 - "	14. 15.
" to the extent of Rs 70,000 for, - & construction in certain Distracts named	27 Novr	15. 16.

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	Consultation.	
	Date.	No.